



**Regional Integrated Sciences and Assessments**

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Building bridges between  
climate sciences and society

Alaska Center for  
Climate Assessment  
and Policy (ACCAP)



Pacific RISA



Climate Impacts  
Group (CIG)

Western Water  
Assessment (WWA)

Carolinas Integrated Sciences  
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California Applications  
Program (CAP)

Climate Assessment for  
the Southwest (CLIMAS)

Southeast Climate  
Consortium (SECC)

Southern Climate Impacts  
Planning Program (SCIPP)



The NOAA Climate Program Office's RISA program supports research that investigates complex climate sensitive issues of concern to resource managers and policy planners at a regional level. The research, tool development and stakeholder interactions of the RISA teams are chosen based on the needs of the region, the expertise of the teams, and the resources available to the teams. The RISA research team members are primarily based at universities with some of the team members based at government research facilities, non-profit organizations or private sector entities.